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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: V. Hang
TSUNEHIRO TSUKADA	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 09/994,872	)	
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Filed: November 28, 2001	)	
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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING	)	
APPARATUS, PRINT SYSTEM,	:	
INFORMATION PROCESSING	)	
METHOD, AND PRINT METHOD :		November 22, 2006

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows: